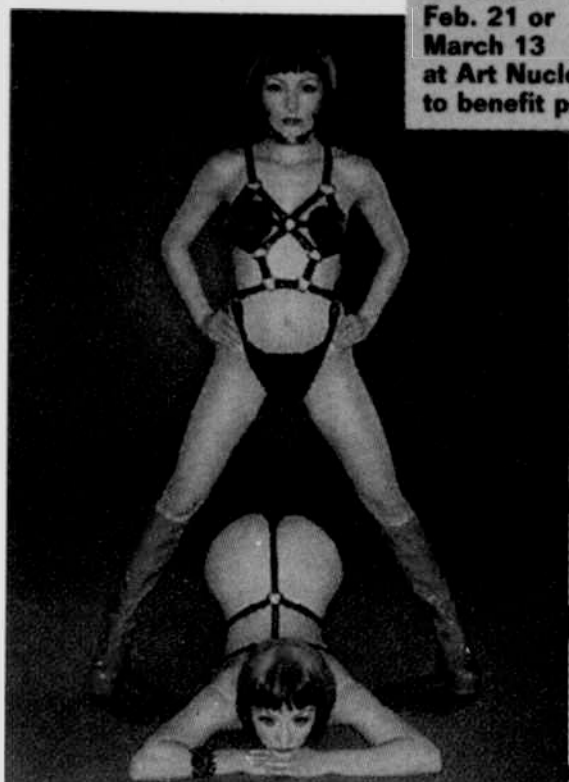


Play poker with original art cards Feb. 21 or March 13 at Art Nucleus to benefit pear



Portland Community College concludes its **Gay and Lesbian Relationship Series** at Zimmerman Community Center with a class on **Sustainable Passion**. (9 am-noon, 916 NW Lovejoy St. \$20. Register at 503-614-7308.)

Eugene lesbian group **Women to Women** gets together every Saturday at Neighbors. (6 pm. 1417 Villard St.)

Talk sexy to the one you love. Learn tips on **erotic talk** at It's My Pleasure. (7 pm. 3106 NE 64th Ave. 503-280-8080.)

Chick flicks: **Film Fatales** meet monthly for single lesbians older than 30 who dig movies. (503-774-6116.)

Visit a jazz-filled night in Sicily hosted by David Jimerson as part of **Dinner at My House for Our House**, a fund-raiser series for Our House of Portland. Dinner by chef Eric Riley, tunes by jazz pianist Tom Rheingans. (7 pm. \$70. For reservations or a brochure listing all dinners, call 503-736-9276.)

Celebrate at the **Deaf & Hearing OUT Reach Second Anniversary Gala!** DJs, auction, appetizers and no-host bar at the Red Lion Hotel's Windows Lounge. Proceeds benefit office and meeting space. (\$8 each or \$10 for two. 8 pm-1 am. 1021 NE Grand Ave. 503-235-0840 voice. dhor@deafvision.net.)

**Performance Works Northwest** presents the ever furry and fabulous **Cabaret Boris & Natasha** through Feb. 29. (8 pm. 4625 SE 67th Ave. \$8-\$12 sliding scale from 503-777-1907 or info@performanceworksnnw.org.)

Get in the Zone during Scarlett Ballroom's **Last Saturday dance**. (8 pm. 700 NE Dekum St. \$5.)

InUniform.net hosts a **Uniforms and Buzzcuts Party** at the Eagle PDX. (9 pm. 1300 W Burnside St.)

Portland queer/alt/folk/pop trio **Vivian's Keeper** holds sway at a CD release party at Cafe Paradiso in Eugene. (9 pm. 115 W Broadway. \$5.)

**The Rocky Horror Picture Show** every Saturday at Clinton Street Theater. (Midnight. 2522 SE Clinton St. \$6.)

## 29 SUNDAY

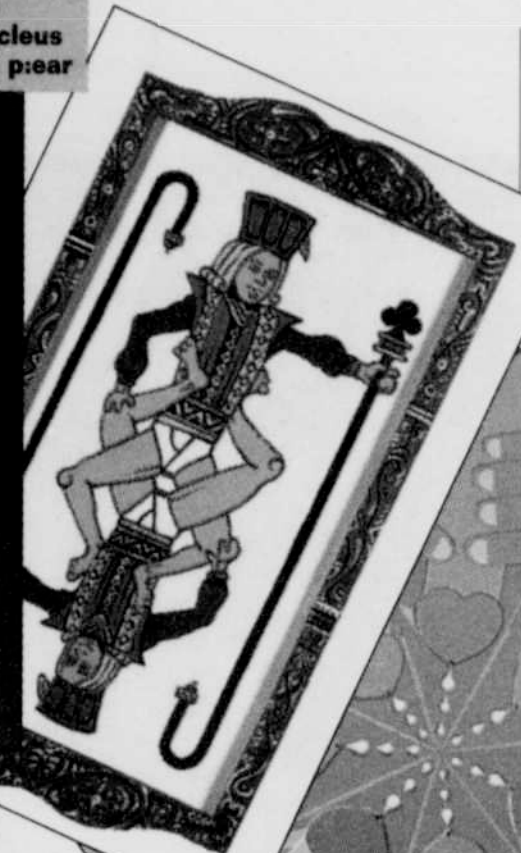
Get up and out for distance training or a trail run with the **Portland Frontrunners** any Sunday morning. (9 am. Gary info@portlandfrontrunners.org.)

From the co-creator of Tart comes **Diva**, another Sunday evening soiree for glam grls, bois and other queer chicks at Holocene. Time to get down, get hip, move your hips, take some sips and enjoy the gourmet delights. Make it a success, and it will continue monthly. (5-10 pm. 1001 SE Morrison St. \$5.)

Every Sunday is **queer night** at Level. (8 pm. 13 NW Sixth Ave. \$3.)



Third Angle New Music Ensemble hosts tango music master Coco Trivisonno during **Tango Junkie** Feb. 27



## march

### 1 MONDAY

**Dykes Do Crafts** every Monday at Touchstone Coffee House. (6-9 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St.)

Does your mother know? **Slam out some serious poetry** every first Monday at Mother Kali's Books in Eugene. Bring three poems if you wanna compete. (7:30 pm. 720 E 13th Ave. 541-343-4864.)

### 2 TUESDAY

Revel in that brisk winter air during your **CityWalk** with the Adventure Group. (6:30 pm. 503-452-5680. www.adventuregroup.org.)

**Breakdown** every Tuesday at Cobalt Lounge with DJs and various impromptu shenanigans. Queer-O-Rama. (9 pm. 32 NW Third Ave. Donations.)

Leave it to fate at Misha's **Make-A-Date**, free every Tuesday at Boxxes. (9 pm. 1035 SW Stark St.)

### 3 WEDNESDAY

A peer-facilitated **Lesbian Discussion & Social Group** for women of any age meets first and third Wednesdays at the Lesbian Community Project. (6:30-8 pm. 800 NW Sixth Ave. #253. 503-227-0605. nightonlesbos@yahoo.com.)

Say your piece at Blend coffeehouse during **open mike** every first and third Wednesday. (7-9 pm. 2327 E Burnside St.)

Cascade Zydeco plays host to **queer-friendly zydeco dance lessons** Wednesday nights at Alberta Street Public House. (7:15 pm lesson, 8-10 pm dance. 1036 NE Alberta St. \$2.)

For an evening of passion perfected to an art, check out **Ballet Flamenco Eva Yerbabuena**, Spain's most treasured flamenco dancer, brought to you

by those masters of modern dance presentations, White Bird. One night only at Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall. (7:30 pm. 1037 SW Broadway. \$18-\$45 from box office or Ticketmaster.)

Chat 'n' chew at the **Young Men's Coffee Talk** every Wednesday at 3 Friends Coffeehouse. (8-10 pm. 201 SE 12th Ave.)

### 4 THURSDAY

In Other Words Women's Books and Resources invites you to its big annual fund-raiser **A Literary Feast** at the Melody Ballroom. Dramatic readings and a gourmet dinner honor emerging Northwest women writers. Guests include **Turiya Autry** and **Ariel Gore**. (5:30 pm reception and silent auction, 6:30 pm dinner and program. 615 SE Alder St. \$50 from 503-232-6003.)

Portland's open mike-style video screening, **Broadcast**, celebrates its fourth anniversary at Newspace. Bring a video to sign in, or come to vote for the best. (7 pm. 1632 SE 10th Ave. www.mythmedia.org.)

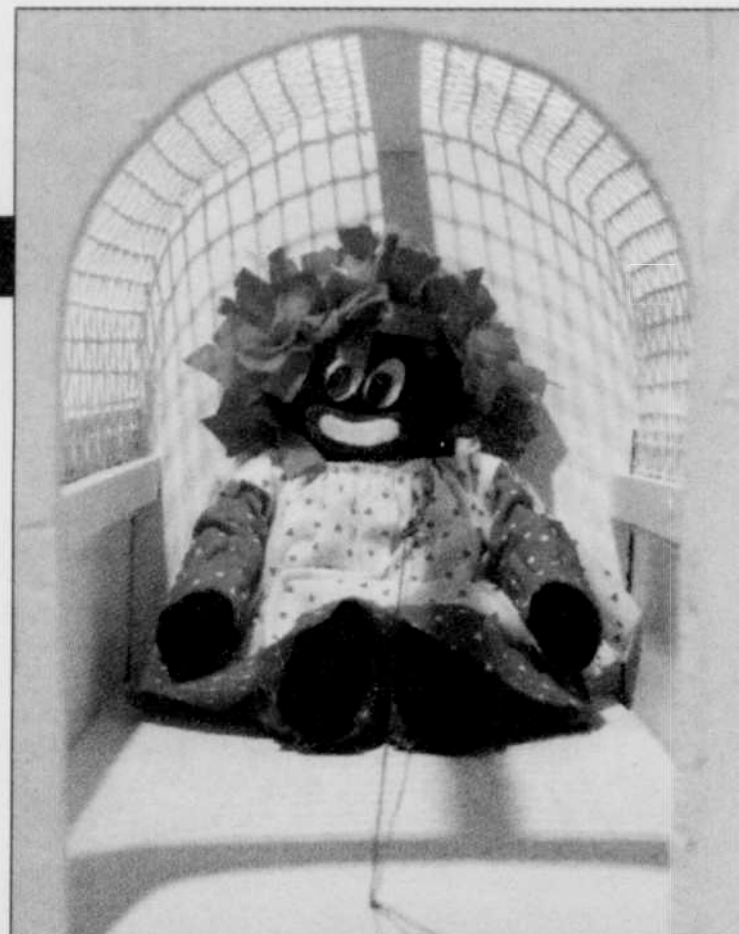
It's **Quarters Night** at C.C. Slaughters. Join throngs inside and standing on line outside at this hot night out. (219 NW Davis St. \$2.)

### 5 FRIDAY

**Out Dancing's** beginning cha-cha starts tonight and continues every Friday in March at Ankeny Street Studio. Intermediate salsa follows. (7-8 pm cha-cha \$20 a month, 8-9:15 pm salsa \$32 a month). Southeast Ninth Avenue and Ankeny Street. 503-236-5129. out\_dancing@yahoo.com.)

Portland super-cool gay boy **Rory Stitt** plays his diverse array of cabaret-pop piano at Nocturnal. (8 pm. 1800 E Burnside St. \$5.)

The **Portland Baroque Orchestra** presents **Papa Haydn and Chevalier St. George**, a rousing evening of classical cello and violin music, through March 6 at First Baptist Church. See March 7 for additional performance. (8 pm. 909 SW 11th Ave. \$15-\$39 from 503-222-6000 or www.pbo.org.)



During your packed Reed Arts Week, make sure to fit in damali ayo's performance and lecture in conjunction with her exhibit **Big-Eyed Street Smarts**

### 6 SATURDAY

It's the annual **International Women's Day** celebration at Portland State University's Smith Memorial Center Ballroom. This year's **Women Speak Their Peace** highlights women's experiences as pacifists, visionaries, leaders and activists for peace and justice. Entertainment, workshops, poetry slam, health fair, art, food and more! (10 am-4 pm. 1825 SW Broadway. \$5 donation.)

Salem's **Marionberry Salon** holds a potluck discussion of **Storyteller** by Amy Thomson. Newcomers welcome. (6:30 pm. Cary 503-363-6036. marionberrysalon@aol.com.)

Rosetown Ramblers and DJ Crystal's monthly **country western dance** is at Portland Metro Club. Yee-hai! (9:30 pm-1:30 am. 618 SE Alder St. \$5. www.rosetownramblers.com.)

Bid adieu to **Rosebud XXVII Michellae Kion Star** during her farewell show at The Escape. See the March 5 issue of *Just Out* for Thorn XXVII's farewell show and details on the next Rosebud and Thorn Pageant. (Midnight. 333 SW Park St. \$10.)

### 7 SUNDAY

Former Human Rights Campaign spokesman **Wayne Besen** reads from his new book *Anything but Straight: Unmasking the Scandals and Lies Behind the Ex-Gay Myth* at Metropolitan Community Church. (9 am. 2400 NE Broadway. 503-281-8868.)

The **Portland Baroque Orchestra** presents **Papa Haydn and Chevalier St. George**, a rousing evening of classical cello and violin music, at Reed College's Kaul Auditorium. (3 pm. 3203 SE Woodstock Blvd. \$15-\$39 from 503-222-6000 or www.pbo.org.)

The Fox & Hounds' **Monthly Charity Bingo**. (3:30 pm. 217 SW Second Ave.)

**Lesbians with Degrees** meets every first and third Sunday. (6:30 pm. 503-233-3557.)

## Looking Ahead

Lesbian activist and writer **Elana Dykewomon** reads from her Lambda Award-winning novel *Beyond the Pale* March 12 at In Other Words. (7 pm. 3734 SE Hawthorne Blvd.)

**Tim Miller** explores relationships, politics and Broadway show tunes in *Us* Feb. 21 at Echo Theatre

Check out more listings at [www.justout.com!](http://www.justout.com!)

